

# DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH.

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## BOARD WILL INSPECT EPILEPTIC LOCATION

FREPORT PAPER SAYS BOARD  
OF ADMINISTRATION IS AL-  
SO COMING THERE.

## DIXON HAS BEAUTIFUL SITE

Physical Conditions Here Are Fa-  
vorable to Locating of the  
Epileptic Colony.

The Freeport Journal-Standard of Wednesday has a big front page writeup of the approaching visit to that city of the state administration board, which will look over Freeport's offerings in the way of sites for the new epileptic colony, which the Pretzel city seems to think they are sure of getting located there.

Local gentlemen who are interested in securing the state institution for Dixon have received advice from Springfield that the commission will also be in Dixon within a few days and they are evidently going to stop off at Freeport and Rockford while they are up in this section of the state.

Dixon is a much more logical location for the colony than any of the others in the race for many reasons, among them being the location regarding the area where the hospital is most needed and the railway transportation. We can offer them the most beautiful, sanitary, desirable site in the state. The Freeport story follows:

Mayor C. F. Franz, Douglas Patterson and Secretary R. B. Simpson of the chamber of commerce have received letters from C. J. Dittmar, president of the state game and fish commission, stating that the state board of registration will be in Freeport next week to investigate the site offered here for the epileptic colony. Just what the day the members of the board will be here is not known as yet. It is certain, however, that they will visit this city next week and from present indications it is understood that Freeport has an excellent chance to land the new home, to cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000, this sum having been appropriated for the purpose. Several sites for the colony can be secured in this vicinity and the board will doubtless look the sites over with the idea of determining which would be most suitable in case the colony is located here.

Plans are being made by the mayor, Mr. Patterson and the chamber of commerce to entertain the members of the board on their visit to Freeport. Plans have not been completed as yet, however. It is probable a meeting will be arranged and the matter will be fully discussed by the members of the board and citizens. The landing of the new home would be a big boost for Freeport and those who are working for the colony believe they will be successful in securing it. All who are interested in the welfare of their city should assist in the work, if called upon.

It is generally understood that sites offered by this city and entire proposition as submitted by Freeport people are much better than those offered by any other city and for this reason Freeport has a good chance of securing the colony. A united effort will be made by those interested to impress the members of the board with the advantages of establishing the home here and the meeting promises to be an interesting one.

Fred J. Kern is chairman of the board of administration.

## WEITZEL HAS OREGON HOTEL.

Oregon Republican: A deal was made Friday whereby J. H. Weitzel of this city became proprietor of the Sinsissippi hotel and has assumed charge of the place. Mr. Weitzel formerly conducted a restaurant and bakery here, selling the business about a year ago to Allen Bros. Before that time he was in the restaurant business in Dixon, so his recent business venture is not an entirely new business to him.

W. E. Baum, the retiring proprietor, has been here about two years and has enjoyed a liberal patronage. He expects soon to start in the hotel business in Chicago.

## WEATHER FORECAST

Dixon and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and probably tomorrow. Moderate temperature, and variable winds.

Sunrise 7:16. Sunset 4:44. Moonrise 9:01 p. m.

Light lamps on horse drawn vehicles at 6:14 p. m., on motor propelled vehicles at 4:44 p. m.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation is taken each morning at 7 o'clock and is for the preceding 24 hours:

	Max	Min.	Precip.
Sunday	23	11	
Monday	37	4	
Tuesday	12	4	
Thursday	42	29	

## AGED MAN DEAD AT HIS POLO HOME

OLIVER TALBOTT PASSED AWAY  
THERE AT 11 O'CLOCK  
TUESDAY

Oliver Talbott, pioneer resident of Whiteside county, a resident of Jordan for over two-thirds of a century, was gathered to his fathers, at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning at his late home in Polo. He had not been in the best of health for several months, and during the past few weeks sank rapidly, dissolution being due to the infirmities of old age.

The funeral services will occur Friday, the services at the family home to be at 11 o'clock and at 1 o'clock at the East Jordan church. The body will be laid away in the cemetery at the church.

## TO FREE CONSCIENCE STRICKEN PRISONER

FRIENDS OF MAN WHO CON-  
FESSED TO LYING 27 YEARS  
AGO, WOULD HAVE HIM RE-  
LEASED

Monticello, Ill., Jan. 15—Friends of Reason Trigg, 64, a former Platt county farmer, set about to secure his release from jail today, following his arrest on his confession that he helped lynch Henry Wildman here 27 years ago. Wildman was taken from the county jail by a mob of 200 angry citizens before he had been convicted of killing his wife. None of the mob was recognized and the lynching of Wildman was almost forgotten.

Trigg, declaring that his conscience had troubled him ever since to lynching, surrendered to the county authorities yesterday, after telling them that he was one of the 200 men who stormed the jail and killed Wildman. Trigg refused to implicate any of the other members of the mob.

## JIM DAVIS IS DOWN AND OUT

FORMER I. C. OFFICIAL IN THE  
"BREAD LINE" AT THE  
POLICE STATION

James Davis, a former Freeporter who at one time held a responsible position with the Illinois Central in this city, was one of the men in the "bread line" at the police station this morning. Davis came to the station last evening about 8 o'clock, and requested a night's lodging. Chief Root recognized Davis, and spoke to him. Davis said he was down and out and had no friends or relatives in Freeport from whom he could ask aid and without money he desired to get a warm place to sleep. Twenty-five years ago Davis was a supervisor for the Central with his headquarters in this city, and lost his position. Twenty years ago he left Freeport and he stated last evening that yesterday was the first time he was in the city since that time.

## THE WATCH



Fifty-seven Vessels Lost in Recent Atlantic Seaboard Storms.—News Item.

## I. N. U. STILL CLING TO BOOBY PRIZE

ALL ATTEMPTS TO OUST BOWL-  
ERS FROM LAST PLACE  
ARE FRUITLESS.

## STANDING OF LEAGUE.

	W	L	Per.
Reiley	16	2	889
Self	14	7	666
Poole	11	10	524
Peters	9	9	500
Lievan	7	14	333
I. N. U.	3	18	143

The bowlers from the Illinois Northern Utilities company's local offices are apparently determined no one shall rob them of the cellar position in the City league, for they displayed consistency again last evening and dropped three more contests. Self's blacksmiths being victors. Self made the high score of the evening in the first game when he got 20v pins. The next contest on the league schedule will be played Monday evening when Peters' men will try to stop the league leaders. Last night's score:

Self.			
Self	203	164	188
Gray	142	190	146
Hoberg	194	172	157
Hettler	159	101	131
Moore	113	145	137
Totals	811	781	759

I. N. U.			
Fritz	177	167	153
Kelley	187	127	161
Root	123	149	145
Freed	120	146	111
Keenan	118	147	118
Tootal	725	736	688

## CHARLES MOON OF NEAR AMBOY DIES

RESPECTED LEE COUNTY CITI-  
ZEN SUCCEEDS TODAY AFTER  
EXTENDED ILLNESS.

Amboy, Ill., Jan. 15—Special — Charles Moon, a respected and well known farmer who resided about four miles west of this city, passed away at about 8:15 a. m. today, the result of a long illness which brought about a weakened condition of the heart. Mr. Moon is survived by his widow and three children, Oliver, George and Mrs. Hugh Lafferty. No arrangements have been made for the funeral.

Mrs. Robert DePuy of Nachusa was in Dixon today.  
Miss Donella McNaughton is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. McBride, of 906 Oak court.

## TO SPEND MILLIONS ON LINCOLN HIGHWAY

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, CIVIC  
BODIES AND OTHERS PROM-  
ISE CO-OPERATION.

## NUMEROUS HOTELS BUILDING

Prospect of Large Increase in Trav-  
el Along Lincoln Highway Lures  
Hotel Keepers.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 15—Millions of dollars will be spent on the Lincoln highway during 1914. Carl G. Fisher, vice president of the association, discussing the project, said: "We have substantial assurances from county commissioners, civic bodies and others that improvements on this road during the year will run into millions."

The Lincoln highway is at this time the best marked continuous highway in the world. By July 1st it will be completely marked from coast to coast so that it will be possible to drive over the route from New York to San Francisco at any time, day or night, and never lose an inch of road.

Perhaps never in a single year will so many hotels as are today projected, in Nebraska for 1914, be built, said H. E. Frederickson, state consul of the Lincoln Highway association here. Mr. Frederickson has just returned from another trip by motor across the state.

He continued: "You hear of new hotels on all sides. Everyone is anxious to build a hotel to take care of the additional business that is coming to the different towns as soon as the highway is in full operation. Grading and excavating work are already going on for dozens of these hotels. Every effort is being made to take care of the tourists. Yet, at that, few realize what the Lincoln highway will mean to some of the little towns. The tourist traffic will be tremendous to say nothing of the local travel."

## AUTO TRUCK NOW IN HANDS OF FIREMEN

Demonstrator Louis Waass of the White Motor company who has been here instructing the members of the Dixon fire department in the operation of the new auto fire truck, left this morning and the big car will now be driven by the firemen. Will Mitchell will be the driver, though the other members of the department have learned to handle the machine.

## REHEARSAL TONIGHT.

The Elks Minstrels will hold an important rehearsal at the club rooms promptly at 7:15 this evening.

## CLINTON BOWLERS DEFEAT DIXON

PICKED TEAM FROM THIS CITY  
LOST CLOSE MATCH TO  
IOWANS.

Clinton Advertiser: A picked team of local cracks took three games and the first match of a series from the Dixon All Stars at the local alleys Saturday night. Despite the goose egg credited to the visiting team the match was close at all times and proved interesting. Self was the star for the Illinois quintette, taking high score honors for the evening with 257. Darling, the local roller, had high average with a mark of 202. A return game will be played in Dixon in two weeks.

Dixon.			
Self	257	147	178
Peters	178	207	204
Lievan	202	162	156
Devine	136	199	147
Hoyler	120	154	172
	893	869	857

Clinton.			
Ingwersen	214	183	169
Myers	155	151	146
Armstrong	157	180	170
Ashton	177	184	186
Darling	236	179	191
	939	877	862

Total pins—2678.

## RAILROAD MAN BUYS CASTLE ROCK

M. HUNTLEY OF FORRESTON  
PURCHASED PRETTY ROCK  
RIVER PLACE

Oregon Republican: A deal was consummated Monday, whereby Castle Rock, four miles south of Oregon, on Rock River, together with about twenty acres of land surrounding it, was sold by the administrator of the estate of the late F. G. Jones estate to N. Huntley of Forreston, conductor on the Forreston train.

For years Castle Rock has been a point of interest to tourists from all over Illinois and many other states and rumor has it that the purchaser has intention of building a hotel and several cottages there. Whether this be true or not, there is no more ideal spot in the country for the location of a hotel.

## PLAYED IN POLO.

The Marquette orchestra furnished music for a dancing party at Odd Fellows hall in Polo last evening.

## DIXON HAS SPENT \$100,000. ON ROAD

COUNTY JUDGE SCOTT FIGURES  
FOR TELEGRAPH READERS  
THAT SURPRISE.

County Judge Robert H. Scott has offered the following bit of interesting information to the Telegraph:

To the Editor:  
Much is being said about good roads and streets. It will doubtless be a surprise to many when they learn that in six years last past, the town of Dixon has levied and collected for roads and bridges, the large sum of \$100,328.63, as follows:

1907	\$15,189.45
1907 Spec. hard rd. tax.	5,500.00
1908	19,810.18
1909	16,791.47
1910	13,107.03
1911	14,530.80
1912	15,399.72

Total 6 years .....\$100,328.65

The 1913 tax to be collected this spring will be \$18,000.00. Of course 40 per cent of this goes to the city treasury of the City of Dixon, but under the law is to be used for the roads, streets and street improvements in the city or township. It will thus be seen that a very respectable sum has been raised in six or seven years for roads and bridges.

Quite as much has been collected for each year for twenty years—not less than \$300,000.00—for much of that time, a special hard road tax was levied and collected.

Respectfully,  
R. H. SCOTT.

## MANY COUNTIES SEEK THE CONVICTS

APPLICATIONS FOR ROAD WORK  
ERS ARE BEING MADE TO  
WARDEN ALLEN.

Following a conference between Governor Dunne, Warden Allen of Joliet penitentiary and member of the state highway commission, the governor announced that the commissioners and the warden would at once take up the consideration of the best way to employ the 240 convicts who will be available for road work next season.

A number of plans have been suggested but the highway commissioners and the warden both seem to favor the construction of a continuous stretch of road, rather than the scattering of the convicts over the state in squads.

Sangamon, Morgan and Macou counties have united in a plea to the governor and the commission that the highway between Decatur or through Springfield to Jacksonville be the one selected for constructor work. Requests are also made, it is said, by Kane, DuPage, DeKalb and Kendall counties.

Another stretch has been offered in the northeast part of the state. It is probable that the community which gets the benefit will be required to put up a considerable sum of money to assist in the undertaking.

## CORONER'S JURY IN AMBOY CASES DECIDES

THE VERDICT OF CASE OF D. C.  
WELCH IS HEART TROUBLE,  
BY OVER-EXERTION.

Amboy, Jan. 15—Special—Coroner Stephan impelled the following jury yesterday afternoon to inquire into the death of D. C. Welch, the aged man who dropped dead here Wednesday morning: T. J. Lyone, Paul Reiley, Walter Scott, Joseph Brierton, Thomas Nichols and John Holland. The jury found that the deceased had come to his death because of over-exertion bringing an attack of heart trouble.

Mrs. Chas. McBride has returned from a two months' visit in Milwaukee and Chicago.

## DEPOT AVE. MERCHANT CASHED FORGED CHECK

POLICE ASKED TO LOOK FOR  
FRANK BOLTON, ALLEGED  
FORGER.

## USED NAME OF JOHN HANEY

Spurious Paper Was for \$25.50 —  
Believed to Have Left  
the State.

Officials of the sheriff's and police departments have been asked to look for one Frank Bolton, who is alleged to have passed a forged check on Sam Huggins, a Depot avenue merchant, late Saturday afternoon, but it is believed the fellow, with the excellent start given him before the forgery was discovered Monday morning, left this part of the country.

The check was drawn on the City National bank and the name of John Haney of South Dixon was forged to the paper, which was for \$25.50. According to the information received by the authorities Bolton frequented Depot avenue all day Saturday, claiming to many he met that he had been working for Mr. Haney and was waiting for him to come to Dixon to pay him.

Cashed Check.  
At about 4:30 p. m. he went to Huggins' store and purchased a sweater and some socks, the total of his purchase being \$3.40. He tendered the check and Mr. Huggins took it to Lyle Northrup to be cashed, receiving the money and giving Bolton the change. The fact that the check had been forged was not discovered until it was presented at the bank Monday to be cashed.

As soon as the paper was discovered to be spurious the officers were notified and an investigation started. It was learned that a fellow answering the description of Bolton, as furnished by Mr. Huggins, had purchased a ticket to Cedar Rapids, Ia., Saturday night and as no trace of the wanted man can be found it is believed he has left the state.

From information the officers have received it is believed Bolton came here from Freeport, expecting to get work with Gund & Graham, the Freeport paving contractors who worked here last fall, and that failing in this he worked on several farms in this vicinity.

A man answering his description worked for some time at the farm of Roy Crawford, but the name given by the laborer there was Claude Roe. Later the fellow is supposed to have applied at Haney's for work, giving the name of A. R. Hall. He is described as follows:

Heavy set, weight 185 or 190, dark, ruddy complexion, with large nose; five feet six inches tall; age about 40 or 50, smooth faced and roughly dressed.

## RECORDS THE HABITS OF HER STUDENTS

HAMILTON TOWNSHIP TEACHER  
IS AIDING HER PUPILS IN  
PROPER LIVING.

Miss Ellen T. Phillips, teacher of school No. 212 in Hamilton township, has introduced a feature in the records of the school which so far is known is entirely new in Lee county and which is bringing very beneficial results for the children is meeting the approbation of the parents. In addition to a careful record of the progress the children make in their studies, Miss Phillips is also keeping a record of house work, milking, dish washing, etc., that each child does, and also a record of those who sleep with the windows of their bed rooms open and of the care they give the teeth. Miss Phillips' initiation is the result of careful reading and thought on subjects of modern teaching.

## MEMBERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the membership of the Y. M. C. A. will be held this evening at the association building at 7:30 o'clock. Sec. Bailey will make his report at this time and directors for the ensuing year will be elected.



## Dementicwn

A Dixon lady says a tramp called at her door the other day and wanted something to eat, and she thought to give him a chance to earn it by splitting some wood for her. She told the tramp that she was just about to send for a man to do the work and the nery hobo answered: "Is that so? If you tell me where he lives, I'll go get him for you."

### At Hookers

"Good sir, will you have soup or fish?"

The waiter asked in tones judicial. The hungry diner said, "I wish you would not be so superficial."

### Correct.

The teacher was instructing the youngsters in natural history. "Can any little boy or girl," said she, "tell me what an oyster is?"

The small hand of Jimmy Jones shot into the air.

"I know, Miss Mary! I know! An oyster," triumphantly announced Jimmy, "is a fish built like a nut."

### Loose Clothing

A small boy handed in the following in an examination paper in United States history: "Gen. Brad-dock was killed in the Revolutionary War. He had three horses shot under him, and a fourth went through his clothes."

### Nice Woman This

Snapp—Well all the fools are not dead yet.

Mrs. Snapp—I'm glad of it. I never did look well in black.

### Sentiment and Sense

Just keep your heart a-beatin' warm,

Be kind to every fellow;  
Look for rainbows in the storm,  
But carry yer umbreller

Be brave to battle with the strife;  
Be true when people doubt you  
Don't think that money's all in life,  
But carry some about you.

An' when it's time to shuffle off,  
And you have done yer mission  
Just put your trust in Providence—  
An' call yer good physician.

## GOODBYE DANDRUFF

Parisian Sage Stops Falling Hair and Itching Scalp; Removes Dandruff With One Application.

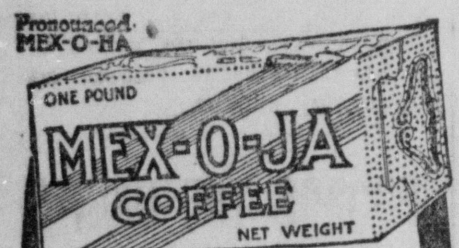
If your hair is too thin, make it grow. If it is too stringy and brittle, soften it up — lubricate it. If you have dandruff it is because the scalp is too dry and flakes off. Freshen up the scalp and dandruff will go.

Parisian Sage, always sold by Rowland Bros. in 50 cent bottles, is just what you need to make your scalp healthy and immediately remove dandruff—your hair wavy, lustrous and abundant.

You cannot be disappointed in Parisian Sage. It quickly stops itching head; cleanses the hair of dust and excessive oil; takes away the dryness and brittleness; makes it seem twice as abundant and beautifies it until it is soft and lustrous.

### FREE BOOKS.

A supply of 1913 Domestic Science books, published by the Illinois Farmers' Institute, has been received by County Superintendent Miller for free distribution to those wishing them.



## Good Coffee Costs Less

It's the poor coffee that's expensive. High grade coffee yields more cups to the pound than low grade—there is more strength in the high grade berries. And there's little satisfaction in coffee that lacks a full, rich flavor.

You are choosing a high grade coffee, but an inexpensive one, when you tell the grocer to send Mex-O-Ja.

From every pound you can make 40 cups of delicious coffee—more if you like it mild. The cost is less than a penny a cup.

Mex-O-Ja Coffee is packed in a specially constructed bag, enclosed in a protector carton with lined green and red stripes.

The Price May Change—The Quality Never

Price subject to revision according to the cost of raw material

30 Cents Per Po

ARBUCKLE BROS.

Mex-O-Ja Sales Dept.

365-465 E. Illinois St., Chicago, Ill.

To get Best Results Grind your Coffee at Home

## UNCOUNTED DEAD LIE IN ASHES OF JAPANESE CRATER

Hundreds Drowned in Attempt to Swim From Scene of Horror.

### CYCLONES STRIKE AT TOKIO

President Wilson and the American Red Cross Cable Sympathy to Tokyo; City of 60,000 Is in Ruins.

Hito-yoshi, Japan, Jan. 15.—Some of the inhabitants who fled from Kagoshima returned to search for their homes, but found them in ruins. A great hole had been opened in the side of the city. Sakura-Jima still threw out vast masses of flames and lava. A police boat circled the island and many bodies were seen on the shores.

### Official Report Given.

Tokio, Jan. 15.—Official reports of the volcano-earthquake disaster in southern Japan brought out the following features:

The small island of Sakura is covered with lava and ashes, in places several feet deep. Beneath this mantle lie the bodies of many persons whose number probably will never be known. Estimates of the dead must include a large number of refugees, who were drowned while trying to swim from Sakura to the City of Kagoshima. Kagoshima, a town of 60,000, is in ruins. Stone buildings collapsed under the hot ash. Simultaneous with the eruption of the volcano of Sakura-Jima there occurred an eruption of Yagatata, which threw a cloud of ashes over Matsumoto.

The eruption of Sakura-Jima is gradually subsiding. A heavy rainfall is clearing the atmosphere and thus assisting the work of relief. The entire island of Kishiu, 3,000 square miles, is covered with volcanic ash in varying depths.

Scientists declare the worst is over, adding that the eruption of the volcanoes served as a vent for acute subterranean activity and probably saved the country from more disastrous earthquakes. At Kumamoto, north of Kagoshima, are more than 1,000 refugees. The whole tragedy has not yet been told.

### Tornadoes Alarm Tokio.

The city of Tokio and surrounding territory, although 500 miles from the volcanic disturbances, were swept in the last 24 hours by miniature tornadoes, filling the city with clouds of dust and sand and creating the belief that the capital was feeling the effects of the distant eruptions. A feeling of relief prevailed at night when the wind died down.

Sakura, where the greatest loss of life undoubtedly occurred, cannot be visited, because the eruptions of Sakura-Jima continues. Troops and warships are in that region and a search of the island will be made at the first opportunity.

Kagoshima, the nearest big city to Sakura, while it suffered great damage from the earthquakes, does not appear to have experienced severe loss of life.

All Americans who were in the stricken region are safe. Word to this effect was received from Carl F. Reichman, American consul at Nagasaki. Several American missionaries were stationed at Kagoshima.

The Japanese destroyers dispatched to the scene were unable to complete the journey. Stormy weather and high seas compelled them to return to Sa-sebo. The second squadron of armored cruisers, consisting of the Iwate, Tokiwa and Yakumo was then hurriedly sent to Kagoshima.

With the distress caused by the volcanic eruptions and earthquakes in the south and serious famine in the north, the government is bending every energy to relieve the double affliction. Naval vessels, with food and other supplies, will be sent as speedily as possible.

### 300 Families Drowned.

Miyazaki, Japan, Jan. 15.—Refugees from the stricken island of Sakura, Gulf of Kagoshima, arrived here. They reported that the inhabitants of 300 houses, composing the Village of Seto on that island, lost the way in trying to reach the seashore and probably all perished together. Hundreds were drowned in trying to swim across the Gulf of Kagoshima. The refugees added that the volcano of Sakura-Jima completely changed its form, several new craters having opened.

### Wilson Cables Sympathy.

Washington, Jan. 15.—President Wilson cabled the emperor of Japan the sorrow and sympathy of the American people over the volcano disaster. Emperor Yoshihito cabled Japan's "sincerest thanks" in return. The American Red Cross offered the Japanese Red Cross its sympathy and material assistance if needed. The American missionaries stationed at Kagoshima are Miss L. Alice Finlay, Methodist, headquarters in New York; Miss Harriet M. Lansing and Miss Jessie Noordhoff, Reformed Dutch church in America, headquarters New York, and Rev. P. M. Medling and wife, southern Baptists, headquarters Richmond, Va.

Sarah Bernhardt Decorated. Paris, Jan. 15.—Sarah Bernhardt was decorated with the Legion of Honor.

### GEN. LOUIS BOTHA



General Botha, premier of the Union of South Africa, seems to be standing firm against the labor agitators and has proclaimed martial law in reply to the order for a general strike.

## STRIKERS ARE ARMED

South African Police Surround Union's Hall.

Battle Is Expected If Troops Attempt to Enter the Building at Johannesburg.

Johannesburg, Union of South Africa, Jan. 15.—Under the leadership of Secretary Bain of the Labor Federation, 300 strikers, all of whom are armed, are barricaded in Trades hall here. To a newspaper man who entered the building they declared that they would resist capture while there were iron bars and pieces of wood left with which to fight.

The windows of the building were barricaded with boxes filled with bricks, and between these boxes there were only sufficient spaces to allow rifle fire to be directed on any force on the street that might move to take the men inside of the building.

Outside there was a cordon of police. This had been established after the police had fixed their bayonets and charged earlier in the day, clearing the square. The official in charge of the police said he regarded Bain and his aids as being "as good as in jail."

A bomb explosion occurred at Benone, slightly injuring three troopers. Several strikers arrested by the police near the place were rescued by their comrades, but were subsequently re-arrested by the troopers.

The Transvaal railway authorities are maintaining a partial service and are attempting to insure an adequate supply of food and fuel. The bakers are determined not to strike for the present, but they refuse to bake for the police, troops or special constables.

Cape Town, Union of South Africa, Jan. 15.—The drastic character of the regulations which came into effect with the proclamation of martial law created considerable surprise. Newspapers are debarred from publishing reports likely to promote ill will between the disputants. All persons are forbidden to aid the strikers.

Lisbon, Jan. 15.—The entire railroad service of Portugal was suspended owing to the declaration of a general strike by the employees. About one-third of the railroads belong to the state.

### JAP WAR HERO IS DEAD

Count Ito, Fleet Commander, Dies Tokyo.

Tokyo, Jan. 15.—Count Yukio Ito, fleet admiral of the Japanese navy, died in his seventy-first year. Count Ito had more to do with the development of the Japanese navy than any other man. He entered the service in 1868 and studied for a considerable time in the United States. In the war between China and Japan in 1894, he took a prominent part, commanding the combined squadrons of the Japanese fleet, which fought the battle of the Yellow sea, afterward blockading the port of Wei-Hai-Wei and destroying the Chinese fleet. He was then appointed chief of the naval general staff and many honors were conferred on him for his services in the war. During the Russo-Japanese war he acted as chief of the naval general staff and contributed greatly by his strategy to the retention of the command of the seas by the Japanese fleet.

Will Cut Out Bullet Fired in '64. Washington, Jan. 15.—Col. Clement A. Lounsberry, Civil war veteran, connected with the land office, will undergo an operation for removal of a bullet fired into his left leg in the battle of Spotsylvania May 12, 1864.

Bank to Pay \$1,600,000 Deposits. Pensacola, Fla., Jan. 15.—Every cent of the \$1,600,000 due depositors of the First National bank, which closed a week ago, will be paid back, said National Bank Examiner Goodhart.

Griffith Outpoints Mandot. Detroit, Jan. 15.—Johnny Griffith of Akron, O., outpointed Joe Mandot of New Orleans here last night at Windsor arena.

## PASSENGERSTAKEN OFF DOOMED LINER

Steamers Race for Reef on Nova Scotia Coast to Aid Mail Packet.

### VESSEL POUNDS ON ROCKS

Nearly 100 Persons Carried to Safety Despite High Seas and Cold—Officer Tells of Ship Going on Rocks.

Yarmouth, N. S., Jan. 15.—Snatched from what seemed almost certain death 96 passengers and crew of the royal mail packet Cobecquid are snug in Yarmouth harbor. Eleven of the crew and captain remained on the ship.

All, however, suffered greatly from the intense cold. Most of them were frostbitten and every one showed the effects of exposure to zero weather. When the rescue ships reached docks here many of their passengers had to be carried to the hotel. For 36 hours after the vessel struck sea broke over it continuously and it was coated with ice.

Numbed with cold and dazed by their long ordeal, few of the rescued could give an intelligent account of their experiences.

### Tells of Striking Rocks.

One of the officers of the Cobecquid said:

"The ship struck at six o'clock Tuesday morning while we were trying to locate the lights of the Lurecher shoal. In the blinding snowstorm which prevailed we overshot the mark and brought up on the south-east end of Trinity ledge."

"Immediately after the ship struck we had sent out an 'S. O. S.' which was picked up by the Cape Sable wireless station. Later, with the engine room flooded, our operators had to depend entirely on the auxiliary storage batteries. Then the gale carried away the deck connections of the aeriels.

A temporary connection, which proved unreliable, was fixed up, but an hour later this, too, was wrecked.

"Early today the Canadian Northern liner Royal St. George, outward bound from St. John, picked up our feeble cry and the rescue followed. "It was a day and a night of terror on the steamer. Life belts had been served to all on board, and when the seas began to break over the ship all hands were ordered below, where they huddled in the cabins.

"It was feared that the hull would part. Daylight and the knowledge that their appeal for help had been heard gave renewed hope, but the position of the ship grew more dangerous hourly."

### Westport Saves 72.

Captain McKinnon of the Westport found the liner on the southeast part of Trinity ledge. At the time there was a high wind and rough sea. In three lifeboat loads 72 persons, including all the passengers, the purser, several dock officers and part of the crew, were rescued.

The Westport stood by until the John L. Cann arrived. The latter took off 24 men as the Westport was leaving for Yarmouth. The captain and 11 men of the crew decided to remain on the ship until morning and the government steamer Lansdowne remained by with them.

### LAKE POLLUTION PERILS

Official Says No City Gets Absolutely Pure Water.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Pollution of the waters of the great lakes and the rivers and streams on the Canada boundary, along which live more than 6,000,000 people, was revealed in a report to the international joint commission by Dr. Allan J. McLaughlin of the public health service. The report showed extensive pollution in the waters adjacent to many of the large cities and declared that owing to the present position of intakes there is not a single city on the lakes which can be said to possess water that is safe without treatment. The remedy, Doctor McLaughlin said, should be sought by the best sanitarians in the world.

### UPHOLDS CIVIL SERVICE LAW

President Will Veto Post Office Bill Unless "Rider" Is Removed.

Washington, Jan. 15.—President Wilson let it be known that he was opposed to a return of the "spoils system" of post office appointments and would veto the post office appropriation bill now before the house unless the "rider" in it exempting assistant postmasters from the classified service were eliminated. The president, it is understood, has decided to call a halt to what has been charged by civil service advocates as a tendency in congress to break down the merit system.

### U. S. Gunboat Is Sent to Hayti.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The gunboat Nashville was ordered from Guantanamo to Port au Prince to observe conditions growing out of the latest Italian revolution.

### Deny Warships' Sale.

Rome, Jan. 15.—The Italian government made official denial of the rumor that negotiations were in progress for the sale of Italian warships to Turkey.

## HARMON ITEMS

Harmon, Jan. 14.—Miss Nellie Ryan and brother Robert returned Monday from a visit with relatives and friends in Dixon.

Miss Clara Newman returned on Monday morning from a visit at the home of her uncle W. L. Reynolds in Rock Falls.

Joseph Rush of Sterling visited Saturday at the home of I. H. Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gehant of West Brooklyn came for an over Sunday visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Blackburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Newman were visitors in Rock Falls Sunday, returning Monday. While there they attended a birthday party of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Garland went to Amboy to visit the latter's brother who is very ill.

Michael Stanley returned Sunday from a visit in Chicago.

Miss Elizabeth Blackburn was a caller in town Monday.

Charles Wadsworth was a business caller here Saturday.

The Royal Neighbors dance which was held Friday night was largely attended, many being from other towns. Supper was served at the Leonard restaurant. The ladies cleared a neat sum.

Prof. Frank Morrissey of Amboy came to attend the R. N. A. dance Friday night.

August Schulte was a business caller here Tuesday.

R. F. Conklin of Stones was a caller here Saturday.

Sheriff Reid of Dixon was here Saturday on business.

W. H. Harrison was here from Dixon Saturday to transact business.

Mrs. M. D. Clapper and children of Aurora visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Newman.

I. H. Perkins was a Sterling caller Saturday transacting business.

Newman Bros. a job of tiling last week on the Frank Swartz place.

Misses Anna and Emma McCormick returned Friday evening from a visit with friends and relatives in Amboy.

Amos Head, brother of Mrs. Lawrence Garland, died at his home in Amboy Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Garland attended the funeral in Erie Tuesday.

Mrs. Katherine McKevitt and daughter Marie of Sterling came to attend the Mrs. Dowd funeral Tuesday.

Mesdames Chenny and McKevitt of Chicago came to attend the funeral of Mrs. Dowd Tuesday.

Frank Lyons intends in a few days to go to his former home in Odell, where he will remain until spring.

Mrs. H. J. Durr was a passenger to Rock Falls Monday to visit her daughter and to attend the funeral of Mrs. Dowd in Dixon Tuesday.

T. P. Long went to Dixon Tuesday.

Emmet Drew is expected here from Minnesota for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. George Ross and daughter Esther went to Sterling Thursday. I. H. Perkins was in Sterling on business Monday.

Misses Hazel and Fern Mangan of Sterling have been visiting relatives here.

The third number of the course of the Business Men's Association will be held Saturday evening, Jan. 17th in the Woodman hall. Lillian Johnson, Irene Marmein and Clayton Conrad will hold the boards that evening. A good time is anticipated.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ross are entertaining relatives from Sterling and Robinson.

Mrs. Mabel Thomas and children returned Monday to their home in Sterling after a short visit at the G. P. Ross home.

Joseph Considine came last week from his home in Minnesota for a visit with relatives here.

Peter Blackburn was a caller here Saturday.

Wilbur Gatchell was a Harmon caller Saturday.

## STEWART NEWS NOTES

Stewart, Jan. 14.—Ira Cooper made a business trip to Chicago on Monday.

Mrs. Henry Sherlock and daughter, Mabel, were over Sunday visitors with Aurora friends.

Miss Edna Miller returned to her home in Prairie du Chien, Wis., Monday, after a week's visit here with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Hemenway.

Charles Flint, a former resident of Stewart, died at his home in Lee, Tuesday. Burial will be in Stewart cemetery, Thursday.

Rev. Graham is at Davis Junction assisting in revival meetings.

Linn Cooper of Aurora, called on friends here Monday.

Jerome Kirby, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Kirby, died at Aurora hospital, Friday. (Funeral and burial were held at Rochelle Monday.)

Mrs. Wm. Hough and Mrs. Robert Hough called on friends here Friday.

Mrs. L. A. Herrick returned home Saturday after a three months visit in western Kansas, with her sons, Drs. W. Y. and S. C. Herrick. On her return trip she spent a week in Kansas City, Mo., with Mrs. Fliesbach and family, former residents of Stewart.

William Preston left Tuesday on a business trip in the southern part of the state.

Mrs. A. B. Titus received 100 postcard cards on her eighty-third birthday, Tuesday, Jan. 13th.

The Literary Society enjoyed a pleasant evening sociable at the church parlors Monday evening.

## AMBOY NEWS NOTES

Amboy, Jan. 14.—Edwin Green, has been visiting his parents here for a couple of weeks, expects to go west Tuesday. He is a former employee of the National bank but left for the west several years ago because of his health.

Ray Leake spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Asah Leake of this city.

Louie Herzog has been ill for a few days.

O. E. S. met Tuesday evening to install officers. Refreshments were served.

Rev. Riney of Chicago preached at the Baptist church here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Finch are expected home Monday from their honeymoon.

Mrs. A. B. Reinboth was in Dixon Monday.

A directors' meeting was held at the First National bank Monday afternoon.

Miss Mildred Derr returned Monday to Dixon after spending several days here. Her mother remained for a longer visit.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a special meeting at the M. E. church on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. W. George will lead the meeting. Special prayer service will be held.

Miss Ruby Leavens returned to her school duties at Binghampton after several days' absence because of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Brien of Harmon were Sunday visitors at the Morrissey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kastler of Binghampton have been entertaining Freepoint friends.

Sam Long substituted as mail clerk for Norman Jewett one day this week on account of the latter's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Skinner spent Sunday at the J. Wittenauer home near Amboy.

## Zoeller's

5c, 10c and 25c Store

Friday and Saturday

Embroidery and

Enameled Ware

BARGAINS

500 yards good quality 17 in. corset cover embroidery, while it lasts, yd. .... 10  
500 yds. extra fine narrow embroidery, yd. .... 5  
500 yds. mercerized embroidery, yd. .... 10  
1000 large pieces of enameled ware consisting of 4, 8, 10, 12, 14 quart preserve kettles, 8, 12, 14, 17 qt. rolled edge dish pans, 12 qt. covered bread raisers, 10 qt. water pails, 8 qt. tea kettles, 16 qt. rolled edge sink pans, 3 pc. low shaped French cooker, covered Berlin kettles, etc. .... 10c and 25

## Comforts! Comforts!

Now is the time to provide yourselves with comforts and keep warm these cold nights. We are closing out our stock of Maish's

Laminated Cotton Down Comforts

Don't miss this opportunity

G. J. REED

### RUB PAIN FROM BACK

ALL BACKACHE GONE Rub Backache and Lumbago Right Out With a Small Trial Bottle of Old St. Jacobs' Oil

Ah! Pain is gone! Quickly?—Yes. Almost instant relief from soreness, stiffness, lameness and pain follows a gentle rubbing with "St. Jacobs Oil."

Apply this soothing, penetrating oil directly upon the ache, and like magic, relief comes. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless backache, lumbago and sciatica cure, which never disappoints, and doesn't burn the skin.

Straighten up! Quit complaining! Stop those torturous "stitches." In a moment you will forget that you ever had a back, because it won't hurt or be stiff or lame. Don't suffer



## Society Notes of Dixon And Vicinity

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

**Thursday**  
 Miss Seyfarth's Dancing  
 School—Armory Hall.  
 Card Party, at K. C. Hall.  
 Wantoknow Club, with Mrs.  
 Fred Wagner.  
 Banquet of Ira Lewis' Class  
 of M. E. Church.  
 Sons of Veterans—In G. A.  
 R. Hall.  
**Friday**  
 Recital, Strong's College of  
 Music, at Coppins Hall.  
 Dorothy Chapter O. E. S.—  
 at Masonic Hall.

**Give Dinner Tonight.**  
 Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Clevidence will  
 entertain with a dinner tonight.

**Guest of Miss Martin.**  
 Miss Dorothy North is the guest  
 of her friend, Miss Grace Martin.

**Engraved Cards**  
 Ladies should see our samples be-  
 fore ordering their engraved calling  
 cards.

**O. E. S.**  
 There will be a regular meeting  
 of Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S., to-  
 morrow evening at Masonic hall.

**For Miss Angelberger**  
 Mrs. M. Finkler will entertain  
 this evening for Miss Angelberger,  
 who is visiting her friend, Mrs.  
 Harry Stephan.

**Dancing Party.**  
 The Sirelle club will entertain  
 with a dancing party in Rosbrook's  
 hall Friday evening. The Marquette  
 orchestra will furnish the music.

**Dancing School.**  
 The last session of Miss Sey-  
 farth's dancing class will be held at  
 the Armory this evening. An in-  
 formal dance will follow the class.

**To Visit Sister**  
 Miss Myra Johnson of Palmyra,  
 left Tuesday evening for an extend-  
 ed visit with her sister, Mrs. How-  
 ard Gigous of Madison, Wis.

**Entertained Last Night**  
 Mrs. Frank Robbins of the East  
 End of town entertained a number  
 of her neighbors at her home last  
 evening with a thimble party.

**At Phillips Home.**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walters and  
 Mr. and Mrs. Gus Walters and Ed  
 Walters, all of Compton, spent the  
 day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.  
 W. Phillips of Peoria avenue.

**Royal Neighbors Met**  
 All officers and officers-elect of  
 the Royal Neighbors, and as many  
 members as can, will meet to-  
 morrow evening in Union hall to  
 practice for installation.

**Gave Tea.**  
 Mrs. Ernest Wernick of 101 Pal-  
 myra avenue, gave a 5 o'clock tea  
 last evening at which she entertain-  
 ed a number of friends in a most  
 delightful manner for Mrs. Ruby  
 Ayres and Mrs. Allie Read.

**Entertained Friends**  
 Misses Martha and Alice McCoy  
 entertained a few friends on Tues-  
 day evening at their home on Third  
 street in a very charming manner.  
 Music and cards were the pleasures  
 of the evening and the hostesses serv-  
 ed delicious refreshments.

**Entertainment at Prairieville**  
 The "We'll Help You" club of the  
 Prairieville Sunday school will give  
 a program Friday evening, Jan. 16th  
 at the Prairieville church. The pro-  
 gram will consist of music, read-  
 ings, and charades. The program  
 over, candy will be sold. The pro-  
 ceeds will be used for purposes of  
 charity.

**Her Birthday**  
 Little Marian Smith, daughter of  
 Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith of Sixth  
 street, entertained six little girls at  
 her home yesterday afternoon after  
 school. It was her sixth birthday.  
 They played house, played school,  
 and many other games and greatly  
 enjoyed the little luncheon Mrs.  
 Smith prepared for them, and they  
 also greatly admired the pretty cake  
 with pink and white frosting and  
 pink candles. Little Marian received  
 a number of pretty gifts.

### Enjoyed Thimble Party

Mrs. K. J. Reed yesterday after-  
 noon entertained twenty-five ladies  
 at a thimble at her home on West  
 Second street.

A most delectable two course  
 luncheon was served by Mrs. Reed,  
 assisted by Mrs. L. W. Newcomer  
 and Miss Hazel Thompson. The la-  
 dies were seated four at a table.

The decorations in red carnations  
 and smilax were most artistic.

Tomorrow afternoon Mrs. Reed  
 will entertain another company of  
 ladies.

### An Excellent Concert.

The entertainment given at the  
 Elks club last evening by Miss Caro-  
 lyne Cone, pianist de luxe, and Miss  
 Claudine Dannenfeldt, classic dan-  
 cer, was attended by a large crowd  
 which completely filled the auditor-  
 ium and was in every respect a very  
 high class entertainment. Miss  
 Cone's performance on the grand  
 piano which was shipped here espe-  
 cially for this event, was fault-  
 less, her technique and interpreta-  
 tion being very noteworthy, while  
 Miss Dannenfeldt's dances were re-  
 velations of grace and bespoke great  
 ability and careful study. Miss Myr-  
 tie Rice accompanied Miss Dannen-  
 feldt, her performance of the dif-  
 ficult dance music adding greatly to  
 the success of the entertainment.

### N. B. B. O. Club

The members of the N. B. B. O.  
 club were delightfully entertained  
 last evening at the home of Mr.  
 and Mrs. Chas. McCarthy, Miss Ger-  
 trude Coakley entertaining. The en-  
 tertainment was a "hard times"  
 party and some of the guests were  
 indeed "hard" lookers—such a var-  
 iety of costumes is rarely seen, and  
 there were many types from Ikey,  
 the man with the wide striped col-  
 lar, to the dame of high degree.  
 The guests finally settled down to a  
 game of cinch which employed the  
 evening hours. Mrs. Minnihan won  
 the ladies first prize, and Mrs. Jule  
 Pettit the second; Charles Long won  
 the gentleman's first prize and Ed  
 Fane, the second. Dainty re-  
 freshments were served and a very  
 happy evening enjoyed.

### Mrs. Rosbrook Entertained

Mrs. Lucy Rosbrook entertained  
 in a most delightful manner last  
 evening with cards and a luncheon  
 for Miss Angelberger, of Cleveland,  
 O., a niece of Mrs. Louis Stephan,  
 who is the guest of her relatives  
 in Dixon.

There were sixteen guests present  
 Mrs. M. J. McGowan proved her-  
 self the most skillful lady in the  
 game and was awarded a most beau-  
 tiful bouquet of carnations.

Music was a feature of the even-  
 ing.

The refreshments were delicious  
 and daintily served. Pink carna-  
 tions and graceful maiden hair  
 fern completed the decorations.  
 The table was daintily set in white.  
 The hostess was assisted by Mrs. W.  
 R. Parker in serving.

The refreshments consisted of  
 chicken patties, pimento cheese sand-  
 wiches, pickles, olives, coffee, cake,  
 and after dinner mints.

All the guests were unanimous in  
 declaring that they had spent a  
 very delightful evening.

### Lee Center Woodmen

Last Saturday night a large and  
 happy throng of Woodmen, their  
 families and friends assembled in  
 the fine and spacious hall owned by  
 the order in Lee Center, to hold  
 their annual banquet and publicly  
 install their officers. At an early  
 hour all kinds and sorts of delicious  
 viands to tempt even an epicure,  
 began to pour in, and those in the  
 commissary department began to  
 wonder how all that food could pos-  
 sibly be disposed of. However, the  
 crowd kept pace with the "eats"  
 and after a hungry two hundred  
 had satisfied their appetites, the  
 pantry began to look a trifle lone-  
 some. Sociability was the order of  
 the evening and many were heard to  
 declare that it was the most enjoy-  
 able affair of its kind in years.

After the banquet, the installa-  
 tion of the officers, who had been  
 re-elected, took place, with Past  
 Counsel B. F. Lane as installing of-  
 ficer, and George Perry as install-  
 ing escort. Following is the list of  
 officers installed.

Venerable Counsel—A. F. Jean-  
 blane

Worthy Advisor—L. E. Lippin-  
 cott

Banker—P. L. Berry

Clerk—C. N. Frost

Escorte—Chas. Henschel

Watchman—F. Buchman

Sentry—Thos. Reed

R. Aschenbrenner—Manager

Lee Center Camp No. 1036 will,  
 next summer have rounded out one  
 quarter of a century of its existence  
 and is still in a robust condition,  
 consisting as it does of 129 benefi-  
 ciary and two social members. On  
 July 2, 1889 the following men met  
 in Salisbury's hall and organized a  
 Woodman Camp—

C. C. Planck  
 C. T. Camplan  
 W. A. Salisbury  
 I. N. Wood  
 M. H. Fox  
 Albert L. Fox  
 L. G. Unger  
 Alfred Lawrence  
 Will Bender  
 Theodore Gale  
 Jas. H. Riley  
 Austin Willis  
 M. T. Broeffle

The following officers were el-  
 ected:—

Venerable Counsel—Austin Wil-  
 lis

Worthy Advisor—W. A. Salisbury

Clerk—C. T. Camplan

Banker—A. L. Fox

Escorte—Chas. Henschel

Watchman—Theo. Gale

Sentry—J. H. Riley

Managers—L. N. Wood, Austin

Willis, W. A. Salisbury.

Of the charter members above

mentioned, Messrs Salisbury and

Willis are dead, and Messrs Wood

Riley, Gale and Broeffle are the

only residents remaining. It would

be most appropriate if the charter

and other members now living in

distant states could unite here with

the rest of the camp in a rousing

celebration of the 25th anniversary

of Woodcraft in Lee Center. Let

Camp No. 1036 get busy and lay

their plans for the 2nd of next July.

### W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will observe Na-  
 tional Constitution day Friday after-  
 noon, Jan. 16, at 2:30 at the home  
 of Mrs. Herbert Scott, 118 E. Boyd  
 street. The following program is be-  
 ing prepared:

Hymn—All Hail the Power of Je-  
 sus Name.

Crusade Psalm, 140, Read in uni-  
 son.

Prayer—Mrs. Rowe.

Reading—Is Suffrage Constitution-  
 al?

Mrs. Isabelle Reynolds

Solo—Miss Oro Floto

Reading—Proclamation for Nation-  
 al Constitutional Prohibition.

Mrs. Evelyn Street

Prayer Service—Led by the Evan-  
 gelistic Superintendent.

Piano Solo—Miss Mary Hintz

Reading—Joint Resolution—Miss

Callie Morgan

Solo—Women's Cause Shall Win—

Mrs. John Creve

Reading—Plans for National Con-  
 stitutional Campaign

Mrs. Bessie Leydig

Discussion

Presentation of Resolution of En-  
 dorsement of the Prohibition Cam-  
 paign

By the President

Prayer Chain

Closing Song—Some Glad Day

All bring Bibles.

**G. R. C. to Meet.**

The G. R. C. will meet at the  
 home of Mrs. Gerhardt Johnson to-  
 night. A scramble supper will be  
 served, to be followed by a business  
 meeting.

**Home Baking Sale.**

The ladies of St. James church  
 will hold a home baking sale at Sal-  
 livan's drug store Saturday, Jan.  
 17. The ladies will try to maintain  
 their reputation for furnishing good  
 things to eat. The number of chick-  
 en pies will be limited.

Annual dinner and apron ex-  
 change will be held at the Christian  
 church at Pennsylvania Corners on  
 Tuesday, Jan. 20. Everybody in-  
 vited.

**For Miss Fleming.**

Miss Irma Brown entertained on  
 Tuesday evening for her friend, Miss  
 Viola Fleming for her 16th birth-  
 day. A tempting supper was served  
 and games helped to pass a happy  
 evening.

**Bloomington School.**

Miss Wilhelmina Seyfarth taught  
 her school in dancing at Bloom-  
 ington last evening.

**With Mrs. Floto.**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scholl and  
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Floto spent yes-  
 terday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
 Floto of the Kingdom.

**Her 76th Birthday.**

Mrs. Charles Huguet celebrated  
 her 76th birthday on Monday, Jan.  
 12, and the great number of friends  
 of the well known Dixon lady took  
 more interest in the affair than she

## STOP' MOTHER! IT'S CRUEL TO FORCE OIL OR CALOMEL INTO SICK CHILD'S MACH.

"California Syrup of Figs" Can't  
 Harm Tender Stomach, Liv-  
 er, Bowels

Look back at your childhood days  
 Remember the "physic" that moth-  
 er insisted on—castor oil, calomel,  
 cathartics. How you hated them,  
 how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different.  
 Mothers who cling to the old form  
 of physic simply don't realize what  
 they do. The children's revolt is  
 well founded. Their tender little  
 "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver, and  
 bowels need cleansing, give Califor-  
 nia Syrup of Figs. Its action is pos-  
 itive, but gentle. Millions of moth-

ers keep this harmless "fruit laxa-  
 tive" handy; they know children  
 love to take it; that it never fails to  
 clean the liver and bowels and  
 sweeten the stomach, and that a tea-  
 spoonful given today saves a sick  
 child tomorrow. It should be the  
 first remedy given as it always does  
 good, never any harm.

Ask your druggist for a 50 cent  
 bottle of "California Syrup of Figs,"  
 which has full directions for babies,  
 children of all ages and for grown-  
 ups plainly on each bottle. Beware  
 of counterfeits sold here. See that it  
 is made by "California Fig Syrup  
 Company. Refuse any other kind  
 with contempt.



TRACEY, GOETZ & TRACEY, CHARACTER SINGING AND PIANO AT  
 THE FAMILY THEATRE TONIGHT.

did herself, as is pleasingly testified  
 to by the large number of remem-  
 brances she received. 76 birthday  
 cards, one for each year, were re-  
 ceived by her that day and her home  
 was a perfect bower of flowers sent  
 by her admiring friends.

Mrs. Huguet was the second wife  
 child born in Dixon, Nettie Dixon  
 being the first. Her birthplace was  
 a home which stood where the Uni-  
 on State bank now is. Miss Dixon's  
 advent into this world took place in  
 a house that was located where  
 Downing's grocery now is. Mrs. Hu-  
 guet was the daughter of Frederick  
 C. and Katherine Clue McKenney.  
 She was born Jan. 12, 1838, and  
 has seen Dixon in all her stages of  
 evolution since the very early days.  
 She is an authority on pioneer his-  
 tory in this community and her  
 reminiscences are intensely interest-  
 ing, as she is an especially keen,  
 well informed woman, with a clear  
 memory and an interesting way of  
 putting things. Her host of friends  
 wish her many more happy birth-  
 days. Mrs. Huguet has been a loyal  
 reader of the Telegraph since its  
 very first issue.

### DELICIOUS ORANGES

A. H. Rowland was delighted to  
 receive a box of luscious oranges  
 from the R. H. Rowland orange  
 ranch at Charter Oak, Cal. The or-  
 anges are magnificent samples of the  
 delicate fruit. The Telegraph is well  
 qualified to state, having been fa-  
 vored with some by Mr. Rowland.

## CAMP MEETING WILL BE HELD MUCH LATER

**DIRECTORS CHANGE MEETING  
 TIME UNTIL AFTER ROCK  
 RIVER ASSEMBLY.**

A radical change in the time of  
 meeting of the Franklin Grove camp  
 meeting will be instituted this year  
 as the result of the action of the  
 board of directors of the campmeet-  
 ing, at a meeting held at Franklin  
 Grove yesterday. Heretofore the  
 camp meeting has always been held  
 in July, prior to the opening of the  
 Rock River Assembly in this city,  
 but this year the dates have been  
 changed to Aug. 13-22, thus bring-  
 ing the Methodist meeting after the  
 Assembly season.

## "A Perfect Woman Nobly Planned To Warm, to Comfort and Command"

Nature never intended woman to be delicate, ailing, or a sufferer from  
 nerves. Women in middle age complain of "hot flashes." Many  
 women suffer needlessly from girthed to womanhood, and from moth-  
 erhood to middle life, with backache, or leg ache, dizziness, faintness, or  
 bearing-down sensations. For a permanent relief from these distressing  
 symptoms nothing is so good as

## DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION

as a soothing and strengthening nerve-  
 irritable, nervous exhaustion, and other  
 distressing symptoms commonly attendant  
 upon functional and organic diseases of the  
 feminine organs. It induces refreshing sleep  
 and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate  
 stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules.

## AFFINITY PAIR PARTED

Mrs. Carrie Rand Herron Suc-  
 cumbs to Cancer in Italy.

Wife Divorced Husband Fourteen  
 Years Ago at His Request; He Lost  
 College Position and Friends.

Florence, Jan. 15.—Mrs. Carrie Rand  
 Herron, wife of Prof. George D. Her-  
 ron, died here of cancer at the age of  
 forty-six. She leaves two sons, aged  
 twelve and two. The body will be cre-  
 mated.

Mrs. Herron's death ended an "af-  
 finity" story which was the talk of  
 this country more than a decade ago.  
 Because he put away his first wife,  
 persuaded her to divorce him, and  
 then married in an unconventional  
 way a young woman who had replaced  
 her in his affections Prof. George D.  
 Herron was deposed from a college  
 professorship and the Congregational  
 ministry, shunned by his friends, fur-  
 iously attacked, kept off the lecture  
 platform, prevented from establishing  
 a Socialist colony in Metuchen, N. J.,  
 and finally driven to seek a home for  
 himself and his new family in Italy.  
 In the '90s Herron was pastor of a  
 Congregational church in Burlington,  
 Ia. He was an eloquent Socialist who  
 had "advanced ideas" as to marriage,  
 and Miss Rand, a member of his  
 church, found out that they were ideal  
 companions. Miss Rand's mother,  
 widow of a Michigan lumber merchant,  
 liked Herron and his views.

She established a chair of Christian  
 socialism for him at Frinnell college  
 and he was made professor. In 1909  
 Doctor Herron told his wife he no  
 longer loved her. She agreed to di-  
 vorce him, and Mrs. Rand settled \$60,  
 000 on her as alimony. Herron trav-  
 eled about delivering philippics against  
 established society, but audiences re-  
 fused to hear him and old friends de-  
 serted him.

### GROSSCUP'S KIN A SUICIDE

Attorney I. M. Jordan of Chicago  
 Shoots Self to Death.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Isaac M. Jordan,  
 society and clubman, son-in-law of  
 former Federal Judge Peter S. Gross-  
 cup and himself one of the most suc-  
 cessful members of the legal frater-  
 nity in Chicago, shot and killed him-  
 self in a parlor of the Palmer house.  
 It was a little less than a year ago  
 that Mrs. Kathryn Jordan divorced  
 Jordan in California on grounds of  
 desertion and nonsupport. Through  
 the chapters of the story of Jordan's  
 marriage and his life for the last 14  
 years runs the name of a woman who  
 is now the duchess of Manchester.  
 She was Miss Helen Zimmerman of  
 Cincinnati when Jordan first knew  
 her. In 1900 he was engaged to her.  
 But she was an heiress of \$10,000,000,  
 and the duke of Manchester was per-  
 sistent and finally successful in his  
 effort to dislodge Jordan from her  
 affections and make a place there for  
 himself. Miss Zimmerman married  
 the duke.

### MAY INCREASE "P. P." WEIGHT

Burleson Considers Handling 100-  
 Pound Packages.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Parcels  
 weighing 100 pounds soon will be  
 shipped by mail if the scheme now un-  
 der consideration by Albert S. Burle-  
 son, postmaster general, works out  
 satisfactorily. Tests are being made  
 in various sections of the country  
 with a view of increasing the weight  
 limit, which at present is 50 pounds.  
 "I think that during the year begin-  
 ning July 1, 1914, we will transport  
 600,000,000 parcels and will derive a  
 revenue of approximately 10 cents  
 each," Mr. Burleson said. "The 100-  
 pound weight limit has no terrors for  
 me. Very broad powers are conferred  
 upon the department in the develop-  
 ment of this service."

### FARMER BESIEGED BY POSSE

Edward Beardsley, Wife and Nine Chil-  
 dren Barricaded in House.

Mayville, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Edward  
 Beardsley, the Summerdale farmer  
 who shot and wounded John G. W.  
 Putnam, overseer of the poor of Chau-  
 tauque county, is still barricaded with  
 his wife and nine children in the little  
 farmhouse a mile outside the village  
 where the shooting occurred and a  
 posse of 20 armed men is on guard.  
 In the sheriff's force are half a dozen  
 crack shots who are under instructions  
 to fire at Beardsley whenever he  
 shows himself. Fear of wounding Mrs.  
 Beardsley or the children was the rea-  
 son for confining the shooting to the  
 sharpshooters.

### KENTUCKY TAX LAW VOID

Court Declares Measure Invalid on  
 Technicality.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 15.—The Ken-  
 tucky court of appeals decided that on  
 account of the failure of the secretary  
 of state to advertise the tax amend-  
 ments to the constitution 90 days prior  
 to the November election the adoption  
 of the amendment is null and void. By  
 this decision the work of five years  
 to obtain a tax law is lost and five  
 years more is necessary before it can  
 be adopted.

### Half in State Have Savings.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 15.—More  
 than half the people of Connecticut  
 have deposits in savings banks, says  
 the annual report of the bank commis-  
 sioner. The 622,000 depositors have  
 \$307,500,000 to their credit.

### FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.



## EVENING TELEGRAPH

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DIXON, ILL.Daily Except Sunday.  
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## ABOUT DIXON CARD PLAYERS

The Burlington Hawk-Eye takes a rather cynical view of the recent order to cut out all gambling cards in the local business places. In a recent issue they make the following remarks about the action:

The women of Dixon have taken a prominent part in a fight against prize cards and similar petty gambling devices in the cigar stores, drug stores, pool rooms and restaurants, and all such things were forbidden on January 1. Perhaps by and by the ladies will take some action in regard to whist and other card gambling games that are played in the homes. Or perhaps that is one of the things that is out of their sphere of action. We are very many of us, much more apt to get busy reforming somebody else, imposing all sorts of restrictions upon others, than to apply such rules or restrictions to ourselves. As a rule we are confident that we do not need to be regulated, controlled or reformed and that we are of sufficient intelligence, strength of will and honesty to do no wrong. It is usually the other fellow who needs watching and around whom we must throw all sorts of safeguards.

## City In Brief

—For \$1.95 you can buy Ladies' and Misses Shoes worth from \$3 to \$3.50 a pair at the Sample Shoe Sale at Henry's Exclusive Shoe store. 11tf

Mrs. Donahue is here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Jordan.

Supervisor Drew of Palmyra attended the funeral of Mrs. Wagner Wednesday.

—For 95c you can take your choice of any of the narrow widths worth up to \$5 a pair at Henry's Sample Shoe Sale. 11tf

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Tourtellott were eastbound passengers this morning.

—Big comedy in two reels at the Family on Friday night. See Zuzu, the Bandmaster.

E. M. Goodsell went east this morning.

F. Benson went to Chicago yesterday.

George Slothower has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Anna Louise, the two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Keenan of East Seventh street, is ill with an attack of pneumonia.

Will Scrivens is ill at the Keenan home.

—See Zuzu, the Bandmaster, a comedy two reel film at the Family tomorrow night.

Mrs. Geo. W. Schmucker has returned from a visit in Chicago with her daughter Olive and friends.

Miss Cornelia Badger of Amboy was here today.

—Pure apple cider vinegar, gal. 20c; 20 pounds best cane sugar, \$1; apples, per bushel, 75c; good 35c coffee per lb., 30c; best canned corn per can, 10c; California navel oranges, 200 size, 25c dozen; Zephyr flour, guarantee with each sack.

Tetrick's Grocery, 116 Peoria Ave. Phone 109. 12 2

R. S. Springer was in town today.

Mrs. John Wolf of the Kingdom was here today shopping.

Mrs. Chas. Floto of the Kingdom was here today.

## FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Cheap Dixon postals, 12 in a package, all different views, pkg. .... 5  
6 in. fancy china plates, 3 patterns of decorations, per set ..... 30  
Children's overalls, regularly sold for 20c pr., while they last, pr. 10

300 copies of sheet music, to close out at 2 for ..... 5  
Fancy emb. hdks. .... 5  
8x12 roasting pans complete ..... 10  
Pudding stirrers ..... 5  
2, 3 or 4 qt. granite covered pails 10  
10c scrub brushes ..... 5  
New case of Alger books ..... 10  
Self-setting mouse traps, 2 for ..... 5  
25c buggy whips ..... 10  
Odd saucers, 2 for ..... 5  
Pure linen crash, yd. .... 10  
Williams' pan lifters ..... 5  
60 ft. galvanized clothes line ..... 10  
8 ft. clothes line props ..... 5  
14 in. hand saws ..... 10  
Gold band tumblers ..... 5  
Yale padlocks ..... 10  
Wide torchon lace ..... 5  
12 in. flat files ..... 10  
Aluminum whet stones ..... 5  
Chocolate coated dates, lb. .... 10

## KRAMER'S 5c and 10c STORE

Nothing over 10 cents

## The Busted Man

By WALT MASON

The man who never has the price finds life a dismal fraud; the world presents a face of ice that simply can't be thawed. When to the eating house he pokes to break his daily fast, the waiter waits on other folks, and leave him till the last. When he goes to the grocer's lair, or to the butcher's den, the clerks wake up to see who's there, then go to sleep again. There's not much honor or respect for any hopeless jay who's never able to collect enough to pay his way. Of course it's wrong; we shouldn't judge a man by what he owns; we shouldn't sneeringly say, "Fudge! he has no stack of bones!" The man whose pockets are a blank should set the cordial hand as well as one who to the bank takes coin to beat the band. But facts are facts—though they're not nice—

and all the sunny smiles are for the man who has the price, the coin in forty styles. You may be long on sterling worth, but if you're short on kale, you'll find it lonesome here on earth, and protests won't avail. Your observation should suffice to teach you this is true; then always strive to have the price, and folks will play with you.

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Walt Mason

## FAMILY THEATRE

The management of the Family Theatre announces a splendid vaudeville program for the last half of this week, commencing tonight. Two exceptionally attractive offerings will be presented, in addition to the usual excellent motion pictures. Tracey, Goetz & Tracey, introducing a lady and two gentlemen billed as The Trio Class, which is lived up to in the superlative degree, will entertain with character singing and piano selections. The Trio has met with tremendous success throughout the country in the higher priced vaudeville theatres and that they will duplicate their former successes during their engagement in Dixon, is a foregone conclusion.

The Three Flying Kays, performing comedy gymnastic pranks in mid air is a pleasing number and a meritorious offering.

The pictures tonight are:—  
When Pierret Met Pierriette, in 2 reels.  
Jane of Moth Eaten Farm.

## AT OPERA HOUSE

The Fane Stock company opens a three nights' engagement at the Dixon opera house tonight. This company has just closed an engagement at Sterling, where they gave good satisfaction to fair sized crowds. The bill tonight will be The World and the Woman, a very strong dramatic piece dealing with the political question.

## REVOLUTIONARY PICTURE

Tonight the Princess theatre will show a three reel drama of the Revolutionary war entitled The Belle of Yorktown, showing the last great battles between the English and the patriots and Lord Cornwallis' surrender to Washington, also a beautiful story of a girl's patriotism to her lover and country, interwoven in the story.

## FEATURE FILM AT FAMILY.

The Family theatre will have a comedy picture on tomorrow evening featuring Ford Sterling as Zuzu, the Bandmaster.

## SAYS IOWA LICENSE LAW IS NOT VALID

## LEGISLATION DIRECTED AT THE SALES MANAGERS IS HELD UNCONSTITUTIONAL.

Indianola, Jan. 14—The transient merchant law passed by the Iowa legislature last year at the request of the Iowa Retail Merchants association was declared unconstitutional by Judge Hayes in the district court here yesterday.

The decision was given in the trial of the officers of the Marshalltown Busby company and is the first action and first decision under the new law.

Judge Hayes, on motion of the company's lawyer, C. H. E. Boardman of Marshalltown, took the case from the jury and directed the verdict in favor of the defendants. The principal contention of Mr. Boardman was that the law is unconstitutional and that the license of \$200 demanded by the state law is exorbitant.

The law requires that every merchant holding a sale in a town outside his home county must secure a license to hold such sale. The cost is \$200 for such license.

## TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

The regular teachers' examination will be conducted at County Superintendent Miller's office tomorrow and Saturday.

"IF YOU WANT A GARMENT BECOMING TO YOU, YOU WILL HAVE TO BE COMING TO US"

## GREATER VALUES THAN EVER NOW OFFERED

On all our **New Winter Styles, Suits, Coats, Waists and Furs.** \$5.00 and \$10.00 will buy for you now what would have cost you early in the season \$15.00 to \$25.00. We still have 3 months of cold weather before us.

Six stunning little Party Dresses made of Chiffon trimmed with French hand-made flowers worth \$15 to \$16.50 for... \$3.39  
\$5.00 will buy a good winter coat. For \$10 we will give the greatest value ever offered in **Coats, Suits or Dresses.**  
Children's Coats from \$2 to \$10, garments that sold from \$5 to \$18.  
One lot of \$5 dresses will surprise you. See them!

3 Lots of good Winter Underwear.—Ladies', Misses' and Childrens  
Splendid values ..... 19c, 3 a n d 59c

A. L. GEISENHIEMER &amp; CO.

## GOOD CLOTHES at reduced prices

OUR "high value" mark for clothes bargains has been reached in this clearance sale now going on. You'll never find bigger clothes economy than right here in

## Hart Schaffner &amp; Marx suits and overcoats

-\$14.75-

For a  
Hart Schaffner & Marx  
Suit

All sizes 33 to 44, also stouts. Newest patterns and weaves, most correct models in the assortment of suits selling at this price. You will find those that formerly sold as high as \$22.50 and \$25. In many cases only one suit of a kind left, therefore the extra reduction is possible. The following reductions apply to all suits not included in the \$14.75 line:

Suits that were \$30.00.. \$23.75  
Suits that were \$27.50.. 21.75  
Suits that were \$25.00.. 19.75  
Suits that were \$22.50.. 17.75  
Suits that were \$20.00.. 15.75



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-\$14.75-

For a  
Hart Schaffner & Marx  
Overcoat

You'll find here lots of real bargains in overcoats. Coats of various lengths, from the short belted coat so popular with the young fellows to the longer and more conservative styles—you'll find here velvet collar coats, shawl collar and military collar goods in chinchillas, kerseys, Meltons and two-tone effects. Lots of real bargains in coats now. It will pay you to carry one over until next season at these prices. Overcoats not included in \$14.75 are being sold at the same reduction that applies to suits. Lots of other things selling below par here now—sweaters, trousers, shoes, boys clothing, fur coats, underwear, etc.

You'll find the same invariable high standard of quality in these good good clothes—you can't change that. The price alone is lowered and if you need clothes of any kind its a good time to lay in a supply.

Boydton-Richards Co.

FOUR STORES

Every Inch a Clothing Store.

DIXON

"OUR BEST ADVERTISEMENTS ARE NEVER WRITTEN—THEY'RE WORN"



## ILLINOIS CENTRAL URGES CAUTION

**WARNS AGAINST TRESPASSING  
ON TRACKS AND RIGHT  
OF WAY.**

With the public clamoring for greater care on the part of railroad employees the Illinois Central road has begun a campaign for greater caution on the part of the public in the use of tracks and right of way. Officials of the road in all the small towns have received orders to make every attempt to reduce to a minimum the number of accidents to trespassers.

Education and legislation are recommended as agencies by which many of the accidents can be averted, but until these can be worked out railroad men are urged to do all in their power to keep persons off the tracks.

Children who use property adjoining the right of way and the right of way itself as playgrounds, men and women who pick up coal on the tracks, factory employees making short cuts along the track going to and from work—these are

the persons the company is trying to protect by warning them of danger. According to the year's reports more than 5,200 persons were killed last year on the railroad tracks. Of this number less than 25 per cent were tramps stealing rides. The other 75 per cent was composed of wage earners.

Although railroad lines are not public highways the companies have no legal power to exclude trespassers from their right of way. It is probable, according to the report that an attempt will be made to have passed a federal law forbidding trespass on railroads engaged in interstate commerce.

Illinois Central officials declare that danger to the individual who trespasses on their property is given too little consideration and that it is fully as important as the present clamor for steel cars, improved signal devices and other safety measures.

### Central Makes Good Record.

According to reports going over the Illinois Central lines the officials of the road are pleased with the report on the 16 hour violations for December. During the winter when there is a heavy snow or when break downs and other things delay the trains, there are usually many crews kept on duty over 16 hours. There

were fewer violations on the central during December than for many months. On the Minnesota division there was not a single violation reported.

## RED SCHOOL HOUSE CO. HELD MEETING

**STOCKHOLDERS ELECTED OFFICERS AND TOOK FINAL STEPS  
IN TRANSFERRING PROPERTY  
YESTERDAY.**

The annual stockholders meeting of the Red School House Shoe Co. was held in Dixon yesterday and the directors were elected and officers selected. There are now no local stockholders in the company, as the interests of all Dixonites have been purchased by Chicago interests. The object of the meeting and election was to take steps to turn over the legal papers to the Brown Shoe Co. of St. Louis, which has purchased the property of the Red School House Shoe company of Dixon.

H. R. Kent, first vice president of the Fort Dearborn National bank, was elected president of the Red School House Shoe company, and

F. M. Forrey, also of the Fort Dearborn National bank, was made secretary and treasurer. E. G. Glenn is vice president. R. E. Belcher, who had charge of Fred Watson's business affairs for some time before his death and who has been active in straightening out the estate matters since then, was also in Dixon attending the meeting. It will be but a matter of a few days before the final papers will be turned over to the Brown company.

### GONE TO IOWA.

S. M. Ayres has gone to Popejoy, Ia., to accept the position of superintendent of a lumber yard. Mrs. Ayres and family will follow later. Their many friends regret their departure, but wish them success in their new home.

### ELKS WILL MEET.

An adjourned meeting of Elks, at which several candidates will be initiated, will be held Monday evening. A social session will follow the meeting.

### POTATOES.

Burbanks are the best. We have 'em. 80c per bu. at store, 85c delivered. Bowser's Fruit Store, 93 Hennepin Ave. 12 3

## EARLY ACTION ON ANTI-TRUST BILLS

**Wilson Tells Leaders as He  
Reads Message Adjournment  
June 1 Is Wish.**

### AIDS APPROVE HIS PLAN

**Eradication of Trade Restraint and  
Jail for Offenders Among  
Demands of the  
President.**

Washington, Jan. 15.—President Wilson discussed anti-trust legislation for more than four hours with members of the senate committee on interstate and foreign commerce and the house committee on the judiciary. Features of Program.

From the conferences the following program was assured:  
Prohibition of interlocking directorates in banks, trust companies and allied industrial corporations.

Elimination of uncertainty as to what constitutes a restraint of trade under the Sherman law through specific definition of monopolies and trusts, so that there can be no "reasonable" restraint of trade.

Removal of all possibility of "immunity baths" for offending corporations or individuals.

Establishment of an interstate trade commission which would take over the bureau of corporations, serve as an auxiliary to the courts and department of justice and act as a bureau of information to which the business world could direct inquiries, but which would have no power of granting immunity or of regulation.

Provision in every case for penalties based on individual responsibility and personal guilt.

### Details Left to Committees.

Details were left to the committees themselves to work out in co-operation with the president, the department of justice and the department of commerce.

The president impressed on the conferees his desire that the task be approached in a friendly rather than a hostile spirit toward the business world, and expressed a hope for a common agreement not only among members of the two committees but leaders in congress generally who have been active in pressing anti-trust measures.

Although senators and members of the house would not discuss the details of the message, there was a general expression of approval of its contents.

### Prompt Action Urged.

The conferences did not develop whether there would be two or more bills, but the president indicated his desire that the subject should be promptly though carefully considered and disposed of, if possible, by the middle of June. The day's developments made it certain that the tentative bills already prepared by the trust subcommittee of the house judiciary committee would be redrafted for an interstate trade commission, which the subcommittee had not embodied in its measures.

Zuzu, the Bandmaster, at Family theatre; a big two reel comedy, tomorrow evening.

## SPENCER WINS WOMAN'S FAITH

**MRS. WM. EVANS, WIFE OF PAS-  
TOR WHO BAPTIZED HIM, BE-  
LIEVES SLAYER INNOCENT**

To a motherly looking woman who, for 20 years, worked in the slums of Chicago, redeeming the fallen, Henry D. Spencer, "the man without a soul," owes what hope of happiness on earth and the hereafter has come to lighten his final days on earth.

She is the only person to whom the "tango slayer" has ever opened his lips. She alone bears the secret of his heart, which lawyers, judges and juries have tried in vain to wring from him. She has been his "confessor."

This woman is Mrs. William Evans of Wheaton, wife of the Rev. Wm. Evans, head of the Moody Bible institute. She will pass a part of every day with the murderer until his execution.

Spencer is under sentence to be hanged in the county jail of DuPage county at Wheaton next Friday for the murder of Mrs. Mildred Allison-Rexroat, the pretty Chicago tango teacher. Despite the fact that he pleaded guilty, that a jury of his peers found him guilty, and that Judge Mazzini Slusser of the circuit court agreed with the verdict, Spencer still maintains his innocence and calls himself a victim

of society's lust for blood. Calls Conversion Miracle. And Mr. and Mrs. Evans alone, of all those who have seen and talked with Spencer, believe he is telling the truth. Mrs. Evans' faith in the slayer—her "poor, mistreated, splendid boy," as she calls him—remains unshaken.

## NORTHWESTERN IS WARNING AUT OISTS

**HAS SIGNS PLACED ON DANGEROUS  
GRADE CROSSINGS**

Along the right of way the Chicago & Northwestern road in Illinois and Iowa is erecting 500 large signs warning of railroad crossings. The signs are placed on public highways 500 feet from the crossings. The idea is to warn vehicle drivers a greater distance from the track. The signs are placed where there are curves in the highway or in the railroad track or other obstructions which do not permit a view of the railroad for a long distance.

### SONS BORN.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Warner of north of Grand Detour this morning.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson of South Dixon yesterday.

LOOK FOR THE SIGN

**V & O**

THREE BIG STORES

DIXON STERLING DEKALB

**VAILE AND  
O'MALLEY**

LOOK FOR THE SIGN

**V & O**

THREE BIG STORES

DIXON STERLING DEKALB

**THIS is the last week of our January Clearing Sales. It is the last opportunity you will have to take advantage of the general price reductions now going.**



One assorted lot of Overcoats in dark and light colors, sizes 35 to 40, worth from \$15 to \$25, marked down to **\$10.95**

\$10.00 Overcoats and Suits	\$ 7.50
12.50 Overcoats and Suits	9.50
15.00 Overcoats and Suits	12.00
16.50 Overcoats and Suits	12.50
18.00 Overcoats and Suits	14.00
20.00 Overcoats and Suits	16.00
22.50 Overcoats and Suits	17.50
25.00 Overcoats and Suits	19.00
30.00 Overcoats and Suits	24.00
35.00 Overcoats and Suits	27.50



Gordon Furs

One Special Lot of Suits that formerly sold from \$22.50 to \$27.50, to close out at **\$15.00**

## Fur Coats and Fur Lined Coats at Final Clearing Sale Reductions.

\$20.00 Fur and Fur lined Coats	\$16
22.50 Fur and Fur lined Coats	\$18
25.00 Fur and Fur lined Coats	\$20
27.50 Fur and Fur lined Coats	\$22
30.00 Fur and Fur lined Coats	\$24
35.00 Fur and Fur lined Coats	\$28
40.00 Fur and Fur lined Coats	\$32
50.00 Fur and Fur lined Coats	\$40
65.00 Fur and Fur lined Coats	\$52

## JANUARY CLEARING SALE

OF ALL REMAINING

## Winter Coats and Suits

WE must have room for our Spring Goods which are now on the way, and we will make a big sacrifice on remaining stock

This Season Coats, worth from \$10 to \$15, for **\$5.00**

Coats worth from \$15 to \$25 for **\$9.95**

Flannel Waists—Broken sizes, regular \$1.75 value, to close at **79c**

Madras Waists—A few broken sizes; worth \$1.50, at this sale **79c**

House Dresses—We have secured a special lot of house dresses, all sizes, \$1.25 value **89c**

15 Dozen Kimona Sleeve Aprons, dark and light colors, worth 50c, for **42c**

Winter Underwear—We will close it all out at **21c, 42c and 50c**

4 Russian Pony Coats—Skinner satin lined and guaranteed for two years, regular \$60 and \$75 value, your choice for **\$40**

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WANTED. Lady or gentleman of  
good education living in or out-  
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week and expenses. Experience un-  
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WANTED. Men to learn barber trade.  
By our method you are prepared  
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for all kinds of junk, old iron,  
rags, rubber, metal, also hides and  
wool. Trading direct with us means  
more money for your goods. Call 413  
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LADIES. Don't have your carpets  
torn and floors scratched by poor,  
old casters on your furniture. Try a  
set of the Diamond Velvet casters.  
They work fine. I have them in all  
sizes. Robert Anderson, 812 West  
Third St. Phone 14997. 276 24

WANTED. Everyone to bring their  
shoes to us for repairing. Our  
work is the best that labor and ma-  
terial can produce. Full line of foot-  
casters, polish for white and black  
shoes, shoe strings and insoles. H.  
Beckingham, 108 Hennepin Ave.  
260tf

WANTED. Henry Shrader, phone  
14840, is prepared to do all kinds  
of wood sawing. 96tfmo

WANTED. 1000 Horses. I will pay  
for all horses delivered to my ren-  
dering works and will remove all  
kinds of stock with hides on. Will  
pay highest price for hides and tal-  
low. I pay all phone charges. Get a  
sample of my beef scraps for chick-  
ens, free to customers. Peter McCoy,  
Dixon Rendering Works, Phone 277.  
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WANTED—Garment Repairing. We  
are fully equipped for repairing,  
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WANTED. Modern furnished room  
for a married couple within  
walking distance of the shoe fac-  
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WANTED. 2 or 3 furnished rooms  
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Must be west of Central Place. Call  
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FOR SALE. Lands in Ouachita Co.,  
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FOR SALE. 5 passenger car, 35 h. p.  
Continental motor; full equip-  
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FOR SALE. Several lots in Dement-  
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FOR SALE. A fine building lot on  
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graph Office. 9 24\*

FOR SALE. Team of mules coming  
5 and 6 years old, weight 2200.  
John I. Sheaffer, Route 7, Dixon  
Phone C 121. 11 3

FOR SALE. The well known foot  
powder, Healo, the best remedy on  
the market for itching, tired feet.  
Price 25 cents. Ask any of the fol-  
lowing druggists for it: Geo. Camp-  
bell & Son, S. Erling Bros., A. H.  
Tillson, Rowland Bros., Thos. Still-  
van, Leake Bros. Co. 11 3

FOR SALE CHEAP. In Cavalier Co.,  
N. Dak., ne 1/4 sec., 160 acres, 120  
acres broken and under cultivation;  
40 acres hay land; no buildings. \$35  
per acre. Mortgage of -1500, 6 per  
cent. This splendid farm belongs to  
parties living in California and who  
are unable to look after their inter-  
ests in N. Dak. Address J. V. Care  
Telegraph. 11 3

FOR SALE. 40 acres irrigated land  
in Colorado, Barr Lake Valley  
near Brighton and 18 miles from  
Denver. Mrs. Lillian Morse,  
260 Kinsley Drive, Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE or will exchange South  
Dakota farm for Dixon property.  
The southeast 1/4 of Sec. 35, T. 116,  
R. 66, 160 acres Hand County, a  
which about 125 acres are under cul-  
tivation, balance pasture, fenced.  
Black top soil, heavy clay subsoil.  
Crops are wheat, oats, corn, barley,  
clover, flax, rye and all vegetables;  
renting rolling 3 year old 5-room  
house, cellar, concrete foundation.  
Barn room for 15 or 16 head with al-  
ley in center. Corn crib and granary,  
chicken house; excellent well with  
windmill and cattle trough. Two hog  
pastures. Grove of trees around  
buildings. Beautiful lake 2 miles  
from farm offering fishing, hunting,  
trapping and boating the year around.  
Schools and churches in easy reach.  
R. F. D. and telephone system. Coun-  
try thickly settled. Farms are well  
improved, modern and up to date;  
farmers are most all prosperous and  
well-to-do. Nearest town, Zell, six  
miles (C. & N. W. R. R.), next near-  
est, Rockham, 8 miles, same R. R.,  
and about 12 miles from Redfield, C.  
& N. W. and C. M. & St. P. R. R.  
Title and abstract perfect. D. M.  
Fahrney, Dixon, Ill. 77tf

FOR SALE. The best land in the  
rain belt belt, near market, good  
water, no hot winds but always a  
crop. Alfalfa that with barley and  
speltz will make pork at 2 cents per  
pound and hog cholera unknown.  
This land will soon double in price.  
For \$500 I will deliver an improved  
farm and some pigs and take the  
balance of the price of the farm from  
the pigs. Why rent when you can get  
a farm for the price of one crop? E.  
A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. D. 91f

FOR SALE. If you are looking for a  
good farm in N. Dak., write me. I  
have just what you want. Price right.  
E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. Dak.  
83tf

Do you wish to buy a new adding  
machine cheap? If so, call the Tele-  
graph, No. 5, for particulars. 20tf

See us if you wish to buy a Farm or a House and Lot

#### DOWNING & FRUIN

City National Bank Building. Phone 293  
Real Estate, Loans, and Insurance

FOR SALE. A span of dark brown  
horses weighing 2800 lbs. belong-  
ing to the City of Dixon. Can be  
seen at the Fire Department. All  
necessary information will be given  
by Chief of the Fire Department  
M. J. Gannon, Commissioner of Pub-  
lic Health and Safety. 11 6

FOR SALE. Potatoes, 85 cents per  
bushel. Phone 150. J. L. Hartwell  
& Son.

FOR SALE. Argyle Vacuum Cleaners  
the best out. Plain Suction \$4.95,  
combination suction and sweeper  
\$7.50. These prices only for a limit-  
ed time. Call or write for free dem-  
onstration. Phone 255, P. R. Ward,  
82 Galena Ave. 11 2\*

FOR SALE. Lot 1, block 20, Gilson's  
add. 15 Amboy. Enquire of Mrs.  
Eustace Shaw, Dixon, Ill.

FOR SALE. Blatchford's calf meal,  
and egg mash, oil meal, cotton  
seed meal, bran, middlings, low  
grade flour, shell, grit, bone, beef  
scraps and Unicorn dairy feed. Geo.  
D. Laing, 93 Galena Ave. 5 12

#### FOR RENT

FOR RENT. To married couple,  
rooms for housekeeping. Enquire  
of Miss Ella McGraw, 1102 S. Gal-  
ena Ave. 64tf

FOR RENT. 3 to 5 years, 1-2 mile  
east of court house, Dixon, Ill.,  
125 acres; 9 room brick house, 4  
barns, orchard, cistern, windmill;  
would make reasonable repairs or  
allow for making repairs, as we may  
agree. Make best offer. Will sell. S.  
R. Harris, owner, 115 LaSalle St.,  
Chicago, Ill. 304 24

FOR RENT. Four rooms downstairs  
for light housekeeping. Miss  
Fisher, 119 2nd and Monroe. 91tf

FOR RENT. We have for rent an  
excellent farm of 160 acres, lo-  
cated 3 1/2 miles from Dixon, well  
improved. Want good desirable ten-  
ant. Share rent. Downing & Fruin,  
Real Estate, Loans and Insurance.  
Phone 293. 11 3

#### LOST

LOST. A green snap pocketbook, on  
way to depot or in street car yes-  
terday afternoon between 2:30 and  
3 o'clock. The pocketbook contained  
three ten dollar bills. Finder please  
return to this office and receive \$5  
reward.  
Mrs. G. G. Stewart, Nelson, Ill.

ESTRAY. A red sow, 225 lbs, from  
my place. Notify Joe Branigan,  
Amboy, Route 2. 10 3

LOST. A brooch pin, amethyst set  
in gold band, between Rink resi-  
dence on W. First St. and postoffice,  
Sunday. Finder please return to 717  
W. First St. and receive reward. 10 3

#### MORTGAGES

FOR SALE.  
Good first farm mortgages, 40 per  
cent valuation, 6 per cent net to the  
investor, in amounts of \$700, \$800  
\$2000 and \$3000 and running from  
3 to 5 years. Geo. W. Swartz & S. E.  
Johnson, Jordan Bldg., over Ster-  
lings' Drug Store, Galena Ave. Jan 6

Look at the little yellow tag on  
your Telegraph. It will tell you to  
what date your paper is paid. It also  
serves as a receipt, so please take  
notice.

Read the Telegraph, the oldest  
paper in this territory. Now in its  
64th year. 85tf

#### FORECLOSURE SALE.

Public notice is hereby given that  
under and by virtue of a decree of  
the Circuit Court in and for the  
County of Lee and State of Illinois,  
entered on the 22d day of Novem-  
ber, A. D. 1913, in a certain cause  
therein pending wherein The Con-  
necticut Mutual Life Insurance Com-  
pany, a Corporation, is complainant  
and Thomas Plunkett and others are  
defendants: Foreclosure No. 3062,  
the undersigned Master in Chancery  
of said court will, on Saturday, the  
17th day of January, 1914, at the  
hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon,  
at the front door of the Court House  
in the City of Dixon in said county,  
sell at public vendue to the highest  
and best bidder for cash in hand,  
the following described premises, to-  
wit:

The East Half of the Northwest  
Quarter (excepting therefrom the  
South Two (2) acres thereof) and  
all the North Half of the Northeast  
Quarter, both in Section Number  
Sixteen (16) in Township number  
Nineteen (19), North of Range num-  
ber Nine (9), East of the Fourth  
Principal Meridian, containing ac-  
cording to Government Survey One  
Hundred Fifty-eight (158) acres,  
more or less, and situate in the  
County of Lee and State of Illinois;  
Or so much thereof as may be  
sufficient to realize the amount  
found by said decree to be due com-  
plainant, principal, interest, costs of  
suit and expenses of sale and which  
may be sold separately without ma-  
terial injury to the parties inter-  
ested.

Dated at Dixon, Ill., this 24th day  
of December, 1913.

ABALINO C. BARDWELL,  
Master in Chancery.  
E. H. Brewster, Sol. for Compl.  
dec 24 31jan 7 14

#### LOCAL SALE DATES

Have your sale bills printed at  
the Telegraph office and have the  
bill published in the paper.  
Prices upon application.

The Dixon Cereal Co. have re-  
ceived a choice lot of old fashioned  
buckwheat and self-rising buckwheat  
flour. 4 4

Jan. 16—Joe Gooch, closing out  
sale, 4 1-2 miles northwest of Dixon  
on Sterling road. Fruin & Rumly,  
Aucts.

Jan. 17—Combination sale at my  
feed shed on Peoria Ave., Dixon.  
Ben Baus, Dixon, Ill. Geo. Fruin,  
Auct.

Jan. 27—Sam Springer, closing  
out sale, 2 miles north of Dixon.  
Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 29—Wm. Bowser, closing  
out sale, 9 miles northwest of Dixon.  
Fruin & Meese, Aucts.

Thursday, Jan. 29—Frank Burns,  
closing out sale, 6 miles southwest  
of Dixon. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Jan. 30—Oscar Coss, 3-4 mile  
west of the milk factory on the Pal-  
myra road. Stock sale George Fruin,  
Auct.

Feb. 2—Arthur Pinkerton, 2 1-2  
miles southwest of Dixon, 1 mile  
south of Hill school on the Town-  
ship line road. Gentry, Auct.

Feb. 3—E. J. Halleran, Campus.  
Ill. Pure bred Duroc sow sale. Geo.  
Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 3—Will Near, 5 miles south-  
west of Dixon. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 4—Scott J. Lowry one mile  
north of Grand Detour, closing out  
sale. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 4—Percy Fruin, public sale,  
11 miles northeast of Dixon. Geo. J.  
Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 5—John Hustler, 3 miles east  
of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 10—Frank Alter, closing out  
sale, 5 miles north of Dixon. Fruin  
& Ocker, Aucts.

Feb. 11—Chas. Moats, 5 miles  
west of Dixon. Closing out sale. Geo.  
Fruin, Auct.

Thursday, Feb. 12—John Bouch-  
er, closing out sale, 4 1-2 miles west  
of Dixon. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 17—Charles Geisler, closing  
out sale, 4 miles southeast of Dixon.  
Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 18—Chas. Rosbrook, closing  
out sale 9 miles southeast of Dixon.  
Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 25—David Heagy, closing  
out sale, 3 miles north of Dixon.  
Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

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Oats ..... 35 36  
Corn ..... 54 58  
Eggs ..... 33 38  
Lard ..... 11 15  
Butter ..... 32 37  
Potatoes ..... 70 95

BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS  
FURNISHED BY C. B. CRAW-  
FORD—SHAW BLDG.  
Chicago, Jan. 15, 1914

Wheat  
May 92 1/2 93 1/4 92 1/2 93 1/4  
July 88 1/2 88 3/4 88 1/2 88 3/4  
Corn  
May 66 1/2 66 3/4 66 1/2 66 3/4  
July 66 66 65 1/2 65 3/4

Oats  
May 40 1/2 40 3/4 40 1/2 40 3/4  
July 39 1/2 39 3/4 39 1/2 39 3/4  
Pork  
Jan 2160 2160 2150 2160  
May 2172 2175 2150 2170

Lard  
Jan 1107 1107 1106 1105  
May 1135 1137 1127 1132

Ribs  
Jan 1150 1150 1150 1150  
May 1165 1167 1155 1162

Hogs open 5 to 10c higher.  
Left over—5535.  
Light—\$05 @ \$32 1-2.  
Mixed—\$10 @ \$40.  
Heavy—\$10 @ \$45.  
Rough—\$10 @ \$20.  
Cattle strong. Sheep steady.

Receipts today—  
Hogs—23,000.  
Cattle—5500.  
Sheep—20,000.

Hogs close 10 to 15c higher.  
Estimated tomorrow—24,000.

John Bally of route 7, has taken  
the agency for Wear Proof Hosiery,  
positively the best hose on the mar-  
ket for the price, a hose that is guar-  
anteed for four months, and if they  
do not prove satisfactory at the end  
of that time they will be replaced  
by a new pair. Drop a card to John  
Bally. He will call and show you sam-  
ples. 97tf

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ing Telegraph, and subscribe for the  
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DIXON CITIZENS TESTIFY FOR  
THE PUBLIC BENEFIT

A truthful statement of a Dixon  
citizen, given in his own words,  
should convince the most skeptical  
about the merits of Doan's Kidney  
Pills. If you suffer from backache,  
nervousness, sleeplessness, urinary  
disorders or any form of kidney ills,  
use a tested kidney medicine.  
A Dixon citizen tells of Doan's  
Kidney Pills.

Could you demand more convinc-  
ing proof of merit?

C. J. Kirkham, 111 E. Fourth St.,  
Dixon, Ill., says: "I had been suffer-  
ing from pain across my back for a  
long time and did not think it was  
caused from weak kidneys. Finally,  
a friend advised me to try Doan's  
Kidney Pills and I got a box at  
Leake Bros. Co.'s Drug Store. It did  
not take them long to remove the  
trouble. The cure has been perma-  
nent. All I said about Doan's Kidney  
Pills when I endorsed them before  
holds good."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't  
simply ask for a kidney remedy—  
get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same  
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**The Belle  
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In Three Reels

A drama of the Revolution-  
ary War, showing the great  
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tiful love story interwoven  
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For \$2.50 you can have your choice  
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## SKATING RINK

The Skating Rink will be open on  
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enings each week and every Satur-  
day afternoon for children. Michael  
Gaffney, Prop. 27 1

## FOR SALE.

A fine building lot on West Third  
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St. Phone 929.

## Ladies' Footwear at Bargain.

My advice to you is to give my big  
Sample Sale of Ladies' and Misses'  
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## POTATOES.

Car choice northern grown White  
Stock Potatoes. On track Thursday,  
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cents delivered. We sell by weight,  
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13. 11 2

## FIRST COMBINATION SALE.

To be held at my Feed Shed on Peo-  
ria Ave., Dixon, Ill., Saturday, Jan.  
17, 1914. Sale to begin promptly at  
1 o'clock p. m. We have listed a  
number of horses, mules, buggies  
and harness. Some new wagons and  
harness and buggies.

BEN BAUS, Prop.

Geo. Fruin, Auct. 12 2  
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See this great Play, then judge  
for yourself.

Bargain Prices 25c, 50c, 75c  
Seats now on sale at Campbell's  
Drug Store. You will have to hurry

## SENATOR ASHURST



Senator Ashurst of Arizona is au-  
thor of the resolution calling for a  
senatorial investigation of the Michi-  
gan copper mine war.

## TRUE BILLS DUE TODAY

Both Factions in Copper Strike  
Expected to Be Hit.

Twenty Strikers and One Woman Ar-  
rested on Charge of Picketing;  
Riots at Ahmeek, Mich.

Houghton, Mich., Jan. 15.—The find-  
ings of the Houghton county grand  
jury will become public today. Spe-  
cial Prosecutor George Nichols an-  
nounced that Judge P. H. O'Brien  
would call the jurors to report the in-  
dictments they have voted after a  
month's work. The investigations of  
the grand jury—the first in the his-  
tory of Houghton county—are said to  
have covered all assault cases, intima-  
dation cases, murders, and attempted  
murders in the county, as well as the  
deportation on December 26 of  
Charles H. Moyer, president of the  
Western Federation of Miners. It is  
hinted that two men have been in-  
dicted on the charge of kidnapping  
Charles H. Moyer, president of the  
Western Federation of Miners, and  
Charles Tanner, auditor of the same  
organization.

The grand jury has called additional  
witnesses to testify today, and it has  
not investigated thus far the killing  
of three British subjects at Paines-  
dale, as the coroner's inquest is not  
finished.

Largely because of the slowness of  
the local authorities in acting on this  
affair British-Americans have been  
urging the British ambassador at  
Washington to call upon the federal  
government for action. It was an-  
nounced here that the Grand Jury  
of the Sons of St. George has sent a  
letter to that effect to Sir Cecil Spring-  
Rice, British ambassador, as the re-  
sult of representations made by the  
local branches of the order.

## MUST WED TO KEEP MONEY

Heir to Millions in Search of Wife in  
Indiana.

South Bend, Ind., Jan. 15.—Otto C.  
Buck Spencer Churchill, forty-six  
years old, who says he possesses an  
estate worth \$30,000,000, is looking  
for a wife. Under the will of Samuel  
Spencer Churchill of London, Eng-  
land, and St. Johns, Canada, Otto must  
marry before July 25 or \$270,000 of  
the estate he inherits will be forfeit-  
ed to British charity. The money is  
in London, but Otto is temporarily a  
resident of South Bend.

Otto Buck Churchill says his father  
was William Buck, a cabinet man-  
ufacturer of L'epore. He has engaged  
South Bend attorneys to represent  
his interests in the Buck estate, now  
open in Laporte circuit court. A copy  
of the Churchill will, probated in Lon-  
don, is now in South Bend.

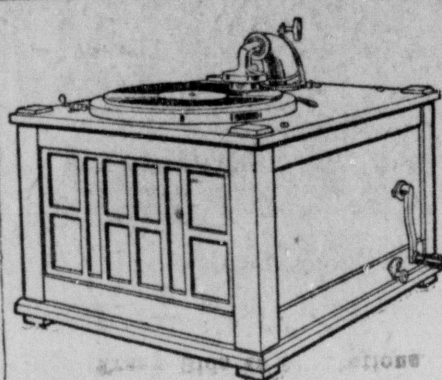
## MORE ON COLD DEATH LIST

Thirteen in All Succumb to Weather  
in and About New York.

New York, Jan. 15.—Relief from the  
most severe cold spell that this city  
has experienced in 15 years is in sight.  
Rising temperatures abated somewhat  
the suffering in the streets, but during  
the day the weather was so cold that  
six persons succumbed to exposure,  
bringing the death list for the city and  
vicinity up to 13 since the frigid wave  
arrived.

## Aviator Falls Into Potomac.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Alexander C.  
Beach, a Chicago aviator, who has  
been demonstrating a hydroplane  
here for the navy department, narrow-  
ly escaped drowning when the gearing  
of his machine broke in mid-air and  
the craft fell into the Potomac river.  
Beach was uninjured and was picked  
up by the police boat Vigilant.

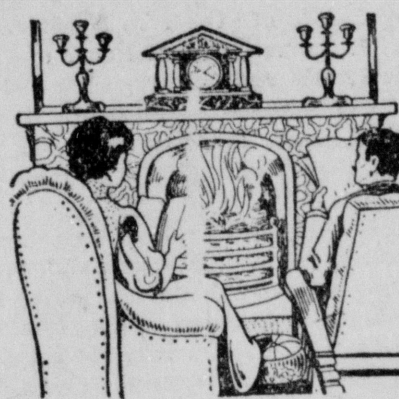


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when you see the prices.

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## OUTLINE MILITIA PAY BILL

Garrison and Men Who Represent  
Thirty States Agree.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Secretary Gar-  
rison and adjutants general repre-  
senting the national guard organiza-  
tions of more than thirty states agreed  
upon the terms of the proposed militia  
pay bill, under which the federal gov-  
ernment would provide pay for militi-  
men, who in turn would enlist as "fed-  
eral reservists" subject to the call of  
the president, to duty either within  
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posed that the militia bill shall pro-  
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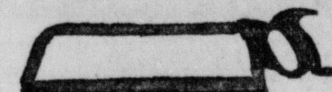
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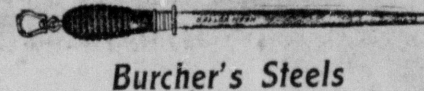
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